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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is the

- ☒ patent application of  
☐ continuation patent application of  
☐ divisional patent application of  
☐ continuation-in-part patent application of

Inventor(s)/Applicant Identifier: LIU et al.

For: AUTOMATIC DATA CPU LOAD REDUCTION IN A HOST-SIGNAL PROCESSING (HSP) BASED ADSL MODEM

- ☐ This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates:

the disclosure(s) of which is (are) incorporated by reference.

- ☐ Please amend this application by adding the following before the first sentence: "This application is a ☐ continuation ☐ continuation-in-part of and claims the benefit of U.S. Application No. 60/\_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, the disclosure of which is incorporated by reference."

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 14 page(s) of specification  
☒ 1 page(s) of claims  
☒ 1 page of Abstract  
☒ 2 sheet(s) of ☐ formal ☒ informal drawing(s).

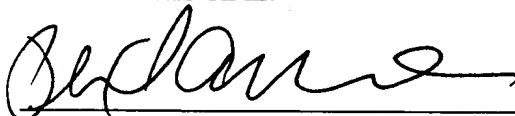
An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_

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A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 ☐ is enclosed ☐ was filed in the  
prior application and small entity status is still proper and desired.

In view of the Unsigned Declaration as filed with this application and pursuant to 37 CFR §1.53(f),  
Applicant requests deferral of the filing fee until submission of the Missing Parts of Application.

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